

GAV 2753

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

Applicant: Evert S. Cooper

Docket No: TI-23516 SEP 29 2000

Serial No: 08/985,380

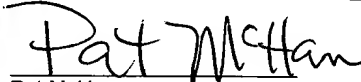
Examiner: A. Snider

Filed: 12/04/97

Art Unit: 2753

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING A VOICE COIL MOTOR OF A  
HARD DISK DRIVEA7/A  
SSK  
10-3-00AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

## MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being  
deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in  
an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for  
Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on 9-22-00  
Pat McHan

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2000, in connection with the  
above identified application, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments  
and remarks.